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1. CHARGE CALLED ON HAJDU AT PARTY HEADQUARTERS TO INQUIRE ABOUT THE PLANNING FOR BEREZC' TRIP TO THE U.S. HE TOLD HAJDU THAT, IF BEREZC IS TO TRAVEL THIS SPRING, WE NEED TO FIX THE DATES OF HIS TRIP AND START MAKING A PROGRAM.
2. HAJDU REPLIED THAT BEREZC IS PLANNING A TWO-WEEK VISIT. HE WILL DEPART HUNGARY SOMETIME AFTER APR 15 AND RETURN BEFORE JUNE 1. HE HAS NOT, HOWEVER, YET FIXED THE SPECIFIC DATES FOR HIS TRIP.
3. HAJDU SAID THAT BEREZC WISHES TO DEVOTE MOST OF HIS TIME IN THE U.S. TO SERIOUS POLITICAL DISCUSSIONS,. HE SPECIFICALLY WISHES TO VISIT WASHINGTON, WHERE HE WANTS TO MEET WITH COUNSELOR NIMETZ AND MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. HE ALSO WISHES TO VISIT NEW YORK, AND HAJDU HAS RECOMMENDED THAT HE TRAVEL TO THE WEST COAST. AS FOR STOPS OUTSIDE OF NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON, BEREZC IS INTERESTED IN MEETING WITH A ZHICIAN# WHO ARE EXPERT ON EASTER EUROPE, BUT

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ALSO FAMILIAR WITH BROADER INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS. HE MENTIONED CARRILLO'S LECTURE AT YALE AND WONDERED IF SOMETHING SIMILAR COULD BE ARRANGED FOR BEREZC. HE IS UNDECIDED ABOUT WHETHER BEREZC SHOULD VISIT THE HOOVER INSTITUTE AT STANFORD DURING HIS STAY ON THE WEST COAST.

4. WHILE IN NEW YORK, HAJDU SUGGESTED THAT WE SCHEDULE VISITS TO THE UN, THE MUSEUM OF MODERN ART, AND ATTENDANCE AT A GOOD AND POPULAR BROADWAY MUSICAL PLAY.

5. COMMENT: WE REALIZE IT IS DIFFICULT TO MAKE A PROGRAM WITHOUT SPECIFIC DATES AND HAVE URGED HAJDU TO GIVE US THE DATES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. IN THE MEANTIME WE WOULD APPRECIATE THE DEPARTMENT BEGINNING PRELIMINARY PREPARATIONS FOR THE BEREZ VISIT. WE

WOULD RECOMMEND AN INVITATION TO DELIVER A LECTURE AT A MAJOR U.S. UNIVERSITY, AND A TALK WITH THE COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS IN NEW YORK. WE ALSO RECOMMEND VISITS TO COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, INDIANA AND STANFORD, THE LAST IF HAJDU AND BEREZ BELIEVE IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE. WHILE THE EMPHASIS IN THE PROGRAMMING SHOULD DEFINITELY BE ON THE SERIOUS POLITICAL DISCUSSIONS, WE HOPE THAT THE PROGRAM CAN INCLUDE SOME LIGHTER MOMENTS ALONG THE LINES OF HAJDU'S SUGGESTIONS. WE ALSO BELIEVE ONE OR TWO STOPS IN THE INTERIOR OF THE U.S. WOULD BE DESIRABLE. WHAT IS SHAPING UP, IN OUR OPINION, IS A PROGRAM WHICH WOULD TAKE BEREZ TO WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK FOR APPROXIMATELY THREE DAYS EACH, THREE DAYS ON THE WEST COAST, WITH THE REST OF HIS TIME TAKEN UP WITH LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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TRAVEL AND ONE OR TWO BRIEF STOPS.

6. WE UNDERSTAND BEREZ IS STUDYING ENGLISH, BUT THE PROVISION OF AN INTERPRETER AND ESCORT OFFICER WILL STILL BE NECESSARY.  
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